

## WHY?

(Continued from Page 10) biggest problem, and if we are going to compete in this league then we are going to have to make a lot of changes in this respect."

Roly Labonte, 3rd Physical Education, former St. F.X., now in 2nd season with U.N.B. football.

"The number of students here in Phys. Ed. and Arts who do nothing is sickening. They haven't got much work to do—except the honours students—and so have plenty of time to spare. There was even trouble getting a sports editor for the Brunswickan. Instead of doing something to contribute to U.N.B. they are content to sit around bitching about the players and coaches, while the remainder of their time is spent with their bottle of booze."

Coach Macintyre:

"We have a player problem in that we don't have enough players of the caliber required to play in this league. The team this year works well but you can't hold much of a practice with only nineteen or twenty players. This does not give us enough players to scrimmage and the risk of getting more injuries cannot be taken. With a better setup next year, that is the JV team practicing with the varsity, we will be able to put in the practice sessions we'd like to. There is a feeling around here among many players that they are doing the coaching staff a favour if they play. Nothing is further from the truth. The athletes of any university are representing that university and if they want to play bad enough then that is what they do. The players this year are doing just that and getting little credit for it."

Well the previous remarks should be helpful in the overall picture while trying to get U.N.B. back on its feet as far as football is concerned.

There have been costly misunderstandings in the past concerning "invitations" back to football camp. Many players who did not receive invitations immediately made the assumption that they were not good enough to play varsity. The way they arrived at this conclusion is: usually they were not asked to play varsity ball in their previous year with JV; when the varsity is loosing to the degree the U.N.B. squad has been then the player considers himself a pretty lousy player if he isn't asked to play varsity. In the past year he hasn't been given the opportunity to compete for a varsity spot while playing J.V. This will be changed next year according to Coach Nelson.

To sum up the constructive criticism:

1. The JV and varsity must practice together, at the same time and using the same plays.
2. Competition for positions must be increased, with two players trying for one spot. Then each will try his best in practice; the way it is now, once you've made the team, that is it.
3. Fundamentals must be mastered. Such as: tackling, and blocking so that the offence can become part of the team again.
4. Maximum use of available player material must be made. This can be done only if all those who are capable of playing football and want to put U.N.B. back on the scoresheet turn out for practices. When they do show

up, they must be given the chance to play and prove themselves.

5. Discipline must be increased on the field so that the coaches are respected and not just considered as good guys. When a player steps out of bounds, take proper action; no player is inexcusable.

6. Students should give players and coaches a little more support. Comparing teams does not accomplish much. The water is always the same for the swim team, and the basketball floor changes little. But if you can drive a team to victory through mud, rain and anything else that the Maritimes has to offer, then you have accomplished something.

7. Analyzing what is wrong at the time it happens won't hurt any. Proper use of scouts in accepting and applying what they see from their vantage points should give our offense a little snap. The way it is now, full advantage of the other teams weak-

spots is not made and proper use of the players on the field is lacking. (One backfield man never got the ball once in the game).

8. A bit more tolerance by the players for coaching decisions would be appreciated but with an increase in discipline. This will follow suit.

Wait until next year; maybe someone will have learned a bit. Coach Nelson gets a few more good, ball players, the students give a little support and the coaches take some of the recommendations given seriously, then maybe U.N.B. will have a better won-lost record.

Probably you have noted a lack of emphasis on importing players. This is why St. F.X. wins, but as far as I'm concerned, beating St. F.X. by bringing in imports doesn't do U.N.B. any good academically. It also contributes little to the development of the Canadian game of football in the Maritimes.

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